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Applicant: Frazier et al.

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Title: AUTOMOTIVE SEAT ASSEMBLY HAVING A REAR LATCH LOCKOUT AND
SPRING ASSIST

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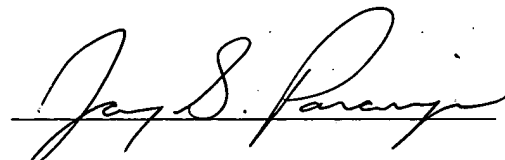
Dear Sir:

This statement and Form PTO-1449 are submitted pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98(a) as a means of complying with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.56 with respect to the above-captioned patent application.

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